(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI, MATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) and (b) The lb Valley Thermal Power Station (4x210 MW) in Orissa was sanctioned in 1987-88 at an esti-mated cost of Rs. 887.9 crores. The expected commissioning schedule of the four units of the project is as under :-

| | |
|---|---|
| Unit I | 1991-92 |
| Unit II | 1992-93 |
| Unit III | 1992-93 |
| Unit IV | 1993-94 |

**Thermal power projects**

87. KUMARI SUSHILA TIRIA: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the thermal power station projects which have been finalised till 31st March, 1988 for establishment in different parts of the country;

(b) what will be the location of each project; and

(c) whether any project will be established in Orissa; if so, where it will be located?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE' MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI); (a) to (c) A Statement containing the locational and other details of the thermal power projects which are under implementation have been approved, upto 31st March, 1988, including in Orissa, is enclosed. *[See* Appendix CXLVT, Annexure No. 3]

**Com supplies to A.P. Thermal Power plants**

88. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the plant-wise require ment of coal for each of the thermal' power plants of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) whether coal is supplied suffi-ciently to the power plants; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) to (c) The Power Plants of Andhra Pradesh are linked to Sin-gareni Collieries Company Limited for supply of coal. The consumption of coal by the Power Stations of APSEB during 1987-88 and the closing stocks at the end of March, 1988 are given below:—

*(Figures in tonnesq*

| Thermal Station | | Consumption | Closing |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Vijayawada | 22,34,000 | 18,000 |
| 2 | | 2,99,000 | 40.000 |
| | Ramagunda m | 34,80,000 | 35.000 |

The coal supplies are, by and large, satisfactory.

**Problems faced by Cement Industry**

89. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the answer to Starred Question 92 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 29th February 1988 and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government have appointed a High Level Committee headed by Dr. S. C. Viswesraiya to go into the problems faced by the Cement Industry;

(b) if so, what are the main re-commendations of the said High; Level Committee; and